# FINANCIAL REPORT WITH SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Year Ended December 31, 2007

Michigan Department of Treasury 496 (02/06)

	Auditing Procedures Report ssued under P.A. 2 of 1968, as amended and P.A. 71 of 1919, as amended.										
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	Fiscal Year End Opinion Date  December 31, 2007 March 4, 2				Opinion Date March 4, 2	2008		Date Audit Report S March 5, 200		<del>e</del>	
	Ve affirm that: Ve are certified public accountants licensed to practice in Michigan.										
We further affirm the following material, "no" responses have been disclosed in the financial statements, including the notes, or in the Management Letter (report of comments and recommendations).											
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### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

March 4, 2008

To the Library Board Addison Township Public Library Oakland County, Michigan

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of Addison Township Public Library, Oakland County, Michigan as of and for the year ended December 31, 2007, which collectively comprise the Library's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of Addison Township Public Library's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and each major fund of the Addison Township Public Library, Oakland County, Michigan as of December 31, 2007, and the respective changes in financial position thereof, for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The Management's Discussion and Analysis and budgetary comparison information listed in the table of contents are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management, regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

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Certified Public Accountants

# MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

For the year ended December 31, 2007

The Management's Discussion and Analysis report of the Addison Township Public Library covers the Library's financial performance during the year ended December 31, 2007.

## FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Our financial status remained stable over the last year. Net assets at December 31, 2007, totaled \$511,020.36 for governmental activities. Overall total capital assets remained approximately the same.

Overall revenues were \$234,368.49 from governmental activities. Governmental activities had a \$45,935.55 increase in net assets.

We did not incur any new debt.

# **OVERVIEW OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

This annual report consists of three parts, management's discussion and analysis, the basic financial statements and required supplementary information. The basic financial statements include two different kinds of statements that present different views of the Library and the notes to the financial statements.

The first two statements are entity-wide financial statements and provide both long and short-term information about our overall financial status. These statements present governmental activities.

The remaining statements are fund financial statements, which focus on individual parts of the Library in more detail.

The notes to the financial statements explain some of the information in the statements and provide more detailed data.

Required supplementary information further explains and supports the financial statement information with budgetary comparisons.

### **ENTITY-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

The entity-wide statements report information about the Library as a whole using accounting methods used by private companies. The statement of net assets includes all of the Library's assets and liabilities. The statement of activities records all of the current year revenues and expenses regardless of when received or paid.

The two entity-wide statements report net assets and how they have changed. Net assets are the difference between the entity's assets and liabilities and this is one method to measure the entity's financial health or position.

Over time increases/decreases in the entity's net assets are an indicator of whether financial position is improving or deteriorating.

To assess overall health of the entity you may also have to consider additional factors such as tax base changes, facility conditions and personnel changes.

All of the activities of the Library are reported as governmental activities. This includes the General Fund.

# MANAGEMEN'TS DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS- ENTITY-WIDE FINANCIAL INFORMATION -- CONDENSED FINANCIAL INFORMATION December 31, 2007

	Total Governmental Activities 2006	Total Governmental Activities 2007
Current Assets Capital Assets	467 437 1 325	514 119 511
Total Assets	468 762	514 630
Current Liabilities Non-current Liabilities	3 677	3 610
Total Liabilities	3677	3 610
Net Assets: Invested in Capital Assets Unrestricted	1 325 463 760	511 510 509
Total Net Assets	465 085	<u>511 020</u>
Program Revenues: Fees and charges	Total Governmental Activities 2006	Total Governmental Activities 2007
for services General Revenues:	4 381	6 712
Property taxes State revenue sharing Penal fines Interest	187 171 4 651 10 072 13 331	196 105 5 090 9 702 16 759
Total Revenues	219 606	234 368
Program Expenses: Culture and recreation	195 608	<u> 188 433</u>
Total Expenses	<u>195 608</u>	188 433
Increase in Net Assets	23 998	45 935
Net Assets, January 1	441 087	<u>465 085</u>
Net Assets, December 31	<u>465 085</u>	511_020

### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

For the year ended December 31, 2007

### **FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

The fund financial statements provide more detailed information about the Library's funds, focusing on significant (major) funds not the Library as a whole. Funds are used to account for specific activities or funding sources. Some funds are required by law or bond covenants. The Library Board also may create them. Funds are established to account for funding and spending or specific financial resources and to show proper expenditures of those resources.

The Library has the following types of funds:

Governmental Funds: All of the Library's activities are included in the governmental fund category. These funds are presented on the modified accrual basis, which is designed to show short-term financial information. You will note that the differences between the Library's entity-wide statements and the fund statements are disclosed in reconciling statements to explain the differences between them. The Library's governmental funds include the General Fund.

## FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE LIBRARY AS A WHOLE

The Library's overall financial status is adequate to meet its current obligations in its present location.

# FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE LIBRARY'S FUNDS

The General Fund pays for all of the Library's governmental services.

Total expenditures for the year ended December 31, 2007, were \$187,685.85.

### CAPITAL ASSET AND LONG-TERM DEBT ACTIVITY

The Library's governmental activities invested \$0 in capital assets.

The Library's governmental activities paid \$67.11 of principal on long-term debt.

### KNOWN FACTORS AFFECTING FUTURE OPERATIONS

There are no known factors that will affect future operations.

### CONTACTING THE LIBRARY'S MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide our taxpayers, creditors, investors and customers with a general overview of the Library's finances and to demonstrate the Library's accountability for the revenues it receives. If you have any questions concerning this report please contact the Library Director at 248-628-7180.

# GOVERNMENT-WIDE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS December 31, 2007

	Governmental Activities
ASSETS: CURRENT ASSETS:	
Cash in bank	318 013 31
Taxes receivable	<u>196 105 64</u>
Total Current Assets	<u>514 118 95</u>
NON-CURRENT ASSETS:	
Capital Assets	6 682 00
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	(6 170 80)
Total Non-current Assets	511 20
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>514 630 15</u>
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS:	
LIABILITIES: CURRENT LIABILITIES	
CURRENT LIABILITIES	-
Total Current Liabilities	
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES:	
Compensated absences	3 609 79
Total Non-current Liabilities	3 609 79
Total Liabilities	3 609 79
NET ASSETS:	
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt Unrestricted	511 20 510 509 16
Total Net Assets	511 020 36
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	<u>514 630 15</u>

# GOVERNMENT-WIDE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES Year ended December 31, 2007

		Program Revenue	Governmental <u>Activities</u>
FUNCTIONS/PROCEAMO	Expenses	Charges for Services	Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Assets
FUNCTIONS/PROGRAMS Governmental Activities:			
Culture and recreation – library	188 432 94	6 711 60	<u>(181 721 34)</u>
General Revenues: Property taxes State revenue sharing Penal fines Interest			196 105 64 5 089 72 9 702 71 16 758 82
Total General Revenues			227 656 89
Change in net assets			45 935 55
Net assets, beginning of year			465 084 81
Net Assets, End of Year			511 020 36

# BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUND December 31, 2007

<u>Assets</u>	Total (General)
Cash in bank Taxes receivable	318 013 31 196 105 64
Total Assets	514 118 95
Liabilities and Fund Equity	
Liabilities Total liabilities	<u> </u>
Fund equity: Fund balance: Unreserved:	
Undesignated Total fund equity	<u>514 118 95</u> 514 118 95
Total Liabilities and Fund Equity	514 118 95

# RECONCILIATION OF BALANCE SHEET OF GOVERNMENTAL FUND TO THE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS

December 31, 2007

TOTAL FUND BALANCE - GOVERNMENTAL FUND	514 118 95
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net assets are different because –	
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the governmental funds balance sheet:	
Capital assets at cost Accumulated depreciation	6 682 00 (6 170 80)
Long-term debt liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the governmental funds	(3 609 79)

511 020 36

TOTAL NET ASSETS - GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES

# STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE -**GOVERNMENTAL FUND**

Year ended December 31, 2007

	Total (General)
Revenues:	
Property taxes	196 105 64
Penal fines	9 702 71
State revenue sharing	5 089 72
Interest	16 758 82
Miscellaneous	<u>6 711 60</u>
Total revenues	234 368 49
Expenditures:	
Culture and recreation:	
Library:	
Wages	77 765 51
Payroll taxes	5 949 06
Pension	4 348 49
Professional services	1 183 62
Mileage	356 19
Books	34 587 46
Rent	7 558 27
Insurance	6 584 00
Telephone	2 436 54
Utilities	1 749 86
Programming	1 122 43
Supplies	2 090 72
Automation services	34 504 94
Repairs and maintenance	2 585 96
Audit Miscellaneous	1 800 00
Debt service	2 995 69
Dept service	67 11
Total expenditures	187 68 <u>5</u> 85
Excess of revenues over expenditures	46 682 64
Fund balance, January 1	467 436 31
Fund Balance, December 31	<u>514 118 95</u>

# RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUE, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE OF GOVERNMENTAL FUND TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES Year ended December 31, 2007

# Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are different because: Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures; in the Statement of Activities, these costs are allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation Depreciation Expense (814 20) Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and therefore are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Change in compensated absences payable \_\_\_\_\_\_\_67 11

45 935 55

CHANGE IN NET ASSETS OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2007

### Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The accounting policies of the Addison Township Public Library, Oakland County, Michigan, conform to generally accepted accounting principles as applicable to governmental units.

### Reporting Entity

The financial statements of the Library contain all the Library funds that are controlled by or dependent on the Library's executive or legislative branches.

The reporting entity is the Addison Township Public Library. The Library is governed by an elected Library Board. As required by generally accepted accounting principles, these financial statements present the Library as the primary government.

### Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements, (the Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Changes in Net Assets) report information on all of the non-fiduciary activities of the primary government. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities, normally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support. All the Library's government-wide activities are considered governmental activities.

The Statement of Activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function. Program revenues include: (1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use or directly benefit from goods, services or privileges provided by a given function; and (2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Taxes, intergovernmental payments and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported as general revenue.

Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

## Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Financial Statement Presentation

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenue in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met. When an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net assets are available, restricted resources are applied first.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recognized as soon as it is both measurable and available. Revenue is considered to be available if it is collected within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, expenditures relating to compensated absences, and claims and judgments are recorded only when payment is due.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2007

# Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Financial Statement Presentation (continued)

The Library reports only one fund as follows:

 The General Fund is used to record the operations of the Library which pertain to maintaining and operating the Library. Included are all transactions related to the approved current operating budget.

# Assets, Liabilities and Net Assets or Equity

Bank deposits and investments – Cash and cash equivalent investments include cash on hand, demand deposits, certificates of deposit and short-term investments with a maturity of three months or less when acquired. Investments are stated at fair value.

### Receivables

Receivables have been recognized for all significant amounts due to the Library. Allowances for uncollectible accounts have not been provided for in that collection is not considered doubtful and any uncollected amount would be immaterial.

### Inventories

All purchases of materials are reflected in expense when paid.

### **Property Taxes**

Property taxes and other revenue that are both measurable and available for use to finance operations are recorded as revenue when earned.

Properties are assessed as of December 31 and the related property taxes become a lien on December 1 of the following year. These taxes are due on February 14 with the final collection date of February 28 before they are added to the County delinquent tax rolls. The Library 2007 tax roll millage rate was .5716 mills and the taxable value was \$343,159,080.00.

### **Encumbrances**

Encumbrances involving the current recognition of purchase orders, contracts and other commitments for future expenditures are not recorded.

### Capital Assets

Capital assets are defined by the Library as assets with an initial cost of more than \$500.00 and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost. Donated assets are reported at estimated fair market value at the date of donation. Additions, improvements and other capital outlays that significantly extend the useful life of an asset are capitalized. Other costs incurred for repairs and maintenance are expensed as incurred. Depreciation on all assets is provided on the straight-line basis over the following estimated useful lives:

Equipment 5-10 years

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2007

# Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

## Compensated Absences (Vacation and Sick Leave)

The estimated current portion of the liability for vacation and sick leave benefits attributable to the Library's governmental funds is recorded as an expenditure and liability in the respective funds. Employees may accumulate an unlimited number of days of vacation leave and are paid for one half of unused sick leave upon termination of employment.

# Post-employment Benefits

The Library provides no post-employment benefits to past employees.

### Fund Equity

In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report reservations of fund balance for amounts that are not available for appropriation or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose. Designations of fund balance represent tentative management plans that are subject to change.

### Note 2 - Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

The following procedures are followed in establishing the budgetary data reflected in these financial statements:

- 1. Prior to the beginning of the fiscal year, the proposed budget for each budgetary fund is submitted to the Library Board for consideration.
- The proposed budgets include expenditures as well as the methods of financing them.
- 3. Public hearings are held to obtain taxpayer comments.
- 4. The budgets are adopted at the activity level by a majority vote of the Library Board.
- The budgets are adopted on the modified accrual basis of accounting.
- 6. The originally adopted budgets can be amended during the year only by a majority vote of the Library Board.
- The adopted budgets are used as a management control device during the year for all budgetary funds.
- 8. Budget appropriations lapse at the end of each fiscal year.
- The budgeted amounts shown in these financial statements are the originally adopted budgets with all amendments that were approved by the Library Board during the fiscal year.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2007

### Note 3 - Deposits and Investments

Michigan Compiled Laws, Section 129.91, authorizes the Library to deposit and invest in the accounts of federally insured banks, credit unions, and savings and loan associations; bonds, securities and other direct obligations of the United States, or any agency or instrumentality of the United States; United States government or federal agency obligation repurchase agreements; banker's acceptance of United States banks; commercial paper rated within the two highest classifications, which mature not more than 270 days after the date purchase; obligations of the State of Michigan or its political subdivisions which are rated as investment grade; and mutual funds composed of investment vehicles which are legal for direct investment by local units of government in Michigan. Financial institutions eligible for deposit of public funds must maintain an office in Michigan.

The Library Board has designated two banks for the deposit of Library funds. The investment policy adopted by the board in accordance with Public Act 196 of 1997 has authorized investment in all investments authorized by state law as listed above.

The Library's deposits and investments are in accordance with statutory authority.

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 3, risk disclosures for the cash deposits are as follows:

	Amounts
Total Deposits	<u>318 013 31</u>

Amounts in the bank balances are without considering deposits in transit or uncleared checks.

	Bank <u>Balances</u>
Insured (FDIC) Uninsured and Uncollateralized	158 846 47 169 006 67
Total Deposits	327 853 14

The Library did not have any investments as of December 31, 2007.

### Note 4 - Capital Assets

Capital asset activity of the Library's Governmental activities for the current year was as follows:

Oncome and Addition	Balance 1/1/07	Additions	Deletions	Balance 12/31/07
Governmental Activities: Equipment	6 682 00	-		6 682 00
Total	6 682 00	-	-	6 682 00
Accumulated Depreciation	(5 356 60)	(814 20)		(6 170 80)
Net Capital Assets	1 325 40	(814 20)		511 20

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2007

# Note 5 - Changes in Long-Term Debt

A summary of changes in long-term debt follows:

	Balance 1/1/07	Additions	Deductions	Balance 12/31/07
Compensated absences	3 676 90		67 11	3 609 79
Total	3 676 90		<u>67.11</u>	3 609 79

# Note 6 - Risk Management

The Library is exposed to various risks of loss related to property loss, torts, errors, omissions, and employee injuries (workers' compensation). The Library has purchased commercial insurance for property loss, torts and workers' compensation claims. Settled claims relating to the commercial insurance have not exceeded the amount of insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

## Note 7 - Pension Plan

The Library has a defined contribution pension plan covering substantially all full-time employees. The Library contributes 10% of each covered employee's prior year annual wages to the plan. Pension expense for the year ended December 31, 2007, was \$4,348.49.

# BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE - GENERAL FUND Year ended December 31, 2007

	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Final Budget Over (Under)
Revenues:		,		
Property taxes	175 202 81	187 027 56	196 105 64	9 078 08
Penal fines	7 500 00	9 702 71	9 702 71	-
State revenue sharing	4 500 00	5 089 72	5 089 72	-
Interest	7 500 00	7 500 00	16 758 82	9 258 82
Miscellaneous	1 500 00	2 000 00	<u>6 711 60</u>	<u>4 711 60</u>
Total revenues	<u>196 202 81</u>	<u>211 319 99</u>	<u>234 368 49</u>	23 048 50
Expenditures: Culture and recreation:				
Library	194 202 81	214 535 76	187 618 74	(26 917 02)
Capital outlay	1 000 00	1 000 00	-	(1 000 00)
Debt service	1 000 00	1 000 00	<u>67 11</u>	(932 89)
Total expenditures	196 202 81	<u>216 535 76</u>	<u> 187 685 85</u>	(28 849 91)
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures	-	(5 215 77)	46 682 64	51 898 41
Fund balance, January 1		5 215 77	467 436 31	462 220 54
Fund Balance, December 31		<u> </u>	514 118 95	<u>514 118 95</u>

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# AUDIT COMMUNICATION AND REPORT OF COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

March 4, 2008

To the Library Board Addison Township Public Library Oakland County, Michigan

We have audited the financial statements of the Addison Township Public Library for the year ended December 31, 2007. As required by auditing standards generally accepted in the United States, the independent auditor is required to make several communications to the governing body having oversight responsibility for the audit. The purpose of this communication is to provide you with additional information regarding the scope and results of our audit that may assist you with your oversight responsibilities of the financial reporting process for which management is responsible.

# AUDITOR'S RESPONSIBILITY UNDER AUDITING STANDARDS GENERALLY ACCEPTED IN THE UNITED STATES

We conducted our audit of the financial statements of the Addison Township Public Library in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States. The following paragraph explains our responsibilities under those standards.

Management has the responsibility for adopting sound accounting policies, for maintaining an adequate and effective system of accounts, for the safeguarding of assets, and for devising an internal control structure that will, among other things, help assure the proper recording of transactions. The transactions that should be reflected in the accounts and in the financial statements are matters within the direct knowledge and control of management. Our knowledge of such transactions is limited to that acquired through our audit. Accordingly, the fairness of representations made through the financial statements is an implicit and integral part of management's accounts and records. However, our responsibility for the financial statements is confined to the expression of an opinion on them. The financial statements remain the responsibility of management.

The concept of materiality is inherent in the work of an independent auditor. An auditor places greater emphasis on those items that have, on a relative basis, more importance to the financial statements and greater possibilities of material error than those items of lesser importance or those in which the possibility of material error is remote.

For this purpose, materiality has been defined as "the magnitude of an omission or misstatement of accounting information that, in light of surrounding circumstances, makes it probable that the judgment of a reasonable person relying on the information would have been changed or influenced by the omission or misstatement."

An independent auditor's objective in an audit is to obtain sufficient competent evidential matter to provide a reasonable basis for forming an opinion on the financial statements. In doing so, the auditor must work within economic limits; the opinion, to be economically useful, must be formed within a reasonable length of time and at reasonable cost. That is why an auditor's work is based on selected tests rather than an attempt to verify all transactions. Since evidence is examined on a test basis only, an audit provides only reasonable assurance, rather than absolute assurance, that financial statements are free of material misstatement. Thus, there is a risk that audited financial statements may contain undiscovered material errors or fraud. The existence of that risk is implicit in the phrase in the audit report, "in our opinion."

To the Library Board Addison Township Public Library Oakland County, Michigan

In the audit process, we gain an understanding of the internal control structure of an entity for the purpose of assisting in determining the nature, timing, and extent of audit testing. Our understanding is obtained by inquiry of management, testing transactions, and observation and review of documents and records. The amount of work done is not sufficient to provide a basis for an opinion on the adequacy of the internal control structure.

# SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The significant accounting policies are described in Note 1 to the financial statements.

### OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

Auditing standards call for us to inform you of other significant issues such as, but not limited to, 1) Accounting estimates that are particularly sensitive because of their significance to the financial statements or because of the possibility that future events affecting them may differ markedly from management's current judgments; 2) Significant audit adjustments that may not have been detected except through the auditing procedures we performed; 3) Disagreements with management regarding the scope of the audit or application of accounting principles; 4) Consultation with other accountants; 5) Major issues discussed with management prior to retention; and 6) Difficulties encountered in performing the audit.

We have no significant issues, regarding these matters, to report to you at this time. Audit adjustments were minimal, and are available to review.

# COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATION REGARDING INTERNAL CONTROLS/ COMPLIANCE/ EFFICIENCY

Our procedures disclosed the following conditions that we would like to bring to your attention:

# SEGREGATION OF DUTIES

The Library's system of internal control is affected by the size of the staff that it can employ.

The ultimate accounting system would include enough employees to completely segregate all aspects of each transaction. Different departments or individuals would handle: transaction authorization, transaction execution, asset handling, recording of transactions, review of transactions and subsequent control of assets.

The Library cannot enact a complete segregation of all aspects of each transaction due to the nature of local units of government. The "cost to benefit" relationship also would not justify a complete segregation of all duties.

We recommend that the Library Board Members understand these circumstances when performing their oversight responsibilities.

These conditions were considered in determining the nature, timing and extent of the audit tests to be applied in our audit of the Library's financial statements and this communication of these matters does not affect our report on the Library's financial statements, dated December 31, 2007.

### <u>SUMMARY</u>

We welcome any questions you may have regarding the foregoing comments and we would be happy to discuss any of these or other questions that you might have at your convenience.

Sincerely,

Composit, Kintur & Co., PC CAMPBELL, KUSTERER & CO., P.C.

Certified Public Accountants